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In re application of:)
Applicant: GHISOLFI, G)
Ser. No.: 09/334,891) Group Art Unit: 1772
Filed: June 17, 1999) Examiner: PATTERSON, M
For: RECYCLABLE MULTI-LAYER...)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Advisory Action dated November 29, 2001.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

The amendment filed on November 13, 2001 in response to the Final Action have not been entered. Please amend the original set of claims as follows:

Please amend claims 1, 5 and 16 as follows:

1. (Amended) Recyclable, heat-sealable multi-layer polyester material suitable for the production of containers for beverages and foods, [comprising a layer] formed of a layer of a foamed polyester resin [foamed] sheet having density lower than 700 kg/m^3 and, adhered to the foamed sheet, a heat-sealable film of polyester resin; having a melting point from 50° to 200° C , said material having creased on it a pattern suitable to develop by folding the shape of a container,

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